IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: GERD HOBOM ET AL.

SERIAL NO.: 09/909,238

FILED: : July 19, 2001

FOR : RECOMBINANT INFLUENZA VIRUSES WITH BICISTRONIC

vRNAs CODING FOR TWO GENES IN TANDEM ARRANGEMENT

ART UNIT : 1614

EXAMINER: To be assigned

Box MISSING PARTS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR1.136(a))

Sir:

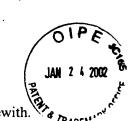
1. This is a petition to extend the period of time one (1) month for responding to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated October 3, 2001.

2. Applicant is:

[] a small entity [] verified statement attached [x] other than small entity [] verified statement filed

3.	Extension (months)		Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
	[]	one month two months	\$ 110.00 \$ 400.00	\$ 55.00 \$200.00
	[]	three months	\$ 920.00	\$460.00
	[]	four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00
	[]	five months	\$1,960.00	\$980.00

Fee: \$110.00





- 4. A response is filed herewith.
- 5. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that the foregoing Petition for Extension of Time (37 CFR 1.136(a)) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the date indicated below.

Date:

William C. Gerstenzang